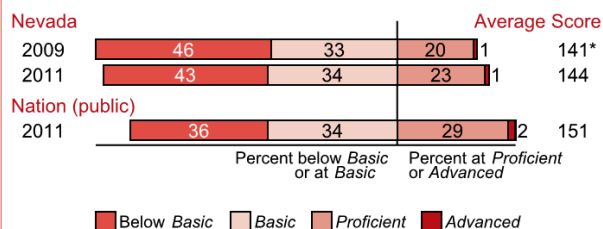


### Overall Results

- In 2011, the average score of eighth-grade students in Nevada was 144. This was lower than the average score of 151 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Nevada in 2011 (144) was higher than their average score in 2009 (141).
- In 2011, the score gap between students in Nevada at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 45 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 2009 (45 points).
- The percentage of students in Nevada who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 23 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (20 percent).
- The percentage of students in Nevada who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 57 percent in 2011. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2009 (54 percent).

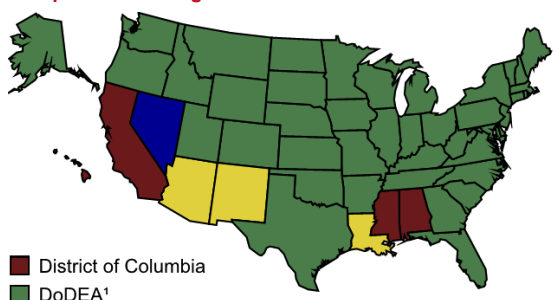
### Achievement-Level Percentages and Average Score Results



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from state's results in 2011. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

### Compare the Average Score in 2011 to Other States/Jurisdictions

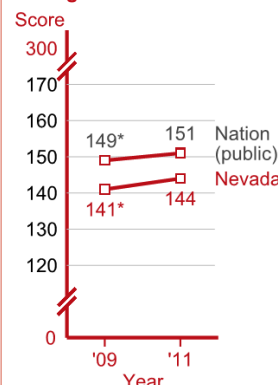


<sup>1</sup> Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).

In 2011, the average score in Nevada (144) was

- lower than those in 43 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 5 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 3 states/jurisdictions

### Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



\* Significantly different ( $p < .05$ ) from 2011. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

### Results for Student Groups in 2011

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Avg. score	Percentages at or above Basic	Percent at Proficient	Percent at Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	39	157	73	35	1
Black	9	123	31	7	#
Hispanic	38	133	43	12	#
Asian	7	155	70	34	#
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	4	152	63	30	#
Gender					
Male	51	148	61	28	1
Female	49	141	53	18	#
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	47	134	44	14	#
Not eligible	53	154	68	31	1

# Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin.

### Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2011, Black students had an average score that was 34 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (26 points).
- In 2011, Hispanic students had an average score that was 24 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (24 points).
- In 2011, male students in Nevada had an average score that was higher than female students by 7 points. This performance gap was wider than that in 2009 (2 points).
- In 2011, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 19 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 2009 (19 points).